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Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994

Report of the Fifth Committee

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I. Introduction

1. At its 17th plenary meeting, on 20 September 2005, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its sixtieth session the item entitled "Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994" and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

2. The Fifth Committee considered the item at its 34th and 36th meetings, on 20 and 23 December 2005. Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of the item are reflected in the relevant summary records (A/C.5/60/SR.34 and 36).

3. For its consideration of the item, the Committee had before it the following documents:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and

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Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994, for the biennium 2006-2007 (A/60/265);

(b) Report of the Secretary-General on staff retention and legacy issues (A/60/436);

(c) Second performance report of the Secretary-General on the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda for the biennium 2004-2005 (A/60/573);

(d) Related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/60/591).

II. Consideration of draft resolutions A/C.5/60/L.15 and A/C.5/60/L.18

4. At its 36th meeting, on 23 December, the Committee had before it two draft resolutions entitled, respectively, "Second performance report for the biennium 2004-2005 on the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994" (A/C.5/60/L.15) and "Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994" (A/C.5/60/L.18), which were submitted by the representative of Ireland on behalf of the Chairman on the basis of informal consultations.

5. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft resolutions A/C.5/60/L.15 and A/C.5/60/L.18 without a vote (see para. 6).

III. Recommendation of the Fifth Committee

6. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft resolutions:

[see A/C.5/60/L.15 and A/C.5/60/L.18]